

Learn and Serve Idaho

Service-Learning Development Grant

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Service-Learning: More than a Service Project

Service-Learning is a teaching method that combines meaningful service with curriculum or project-based learning. Schools use service learning as a tool to help youth build stronger academic skills, foster civic responsibility, and develop leadership skills.

Grant Overview

The Learn and Serve Idaho Service-Learning Development Grant offers 15 grants of \$1,000 each to teachers and school-based service-learning coordinators to design and implement a curriculum based service-learning project to be implemented on National Youth Service Day 2007, April 20-22.

National Youth Service Day, a program of Youth Service America*, is the largest service event in the world. It mobilizes youth as leaders to identify and address the needs of their communities through service-learning, supports youth on a lifelong path of service and civic engagement, and educates the public, the media, and policymakers about the year-round contributions of young people as community leaders.

Timeline

October 1, 2006

Service Learning Development Grant becomes available.

→ [LINK to application](#) ←

December 1, 2006

Grant application deadline.

December 15, 2006

Grant winner and applicants not selected to receive this grant will be notified via email.

April 20-22, 2007

National Youth Service Day

*Youth Service America (YSA) is a resource center that partners with thousands of organizations committed to increasing the quality and quantity of volunteer opportunities for young people in America, ages 5-25, to serve locally, nationally, and globally. Founded in 1986, YSA's mission is to strengthen the effectiveness, sustainability, and scale of the youth service and service-learning fields.